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1. Transmittal Letter — 2 Pages (1x)
2. Specification — 13 Pages (1x)
3. Informal Drawings — 7 Sheets (1x)
4. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney — 4 Pages (1x)
5. Form PTO-1619A, B, & C Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet — 3 Pages (2x)
6. Executed and Notarized Assignment and Agreement — 4 Pages (1x)
7. Information Disclosure Statement Cover Sheet — 1 Page (1x)
8. Form PTO/SB/08A Information Disclosure Statement with 2 Patent References — 1 Page (1x)

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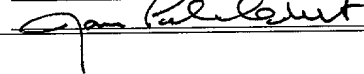
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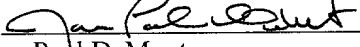
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